REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, Applicant has corrected the claim identifiers to read --previously presented-- instead of (preciously presented). No new matter has been added.

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims as they presently stand are all in condition for allowance. Applicant therefore requests that the Examiner allow the claims and move the application to issue. However, if there are any remaining issues the Examiner is encouraged to call Applicant's attorney, Peter Zura at (312) 807-4208 in order to facilitate a speedy disposition of the present case.

If any additional fees are required in connection with this response they may be charged to deposit account no. 02-1818.

Respectfully submitted,

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